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FLOOD CLAIMS MORE VICTIMS.

Horrors Not Ended

Although the Torrent Is Steadily Receding at Topeka.

Systematic Relief Inaugurated

St. Louis, Cairo and Other Cities on Lower Mississippi Preparing for the Flood---Weather Observer Gives Encouragement to People of the Flood Stricken Districts.

Kansas City, June 3.—Sixty-seven persons who were rescued by a steamer from the Randolph end of the Milwaukee railroad bridge, five miles below the city, were brought here last night among them were passengers from St. Joseph and Grand Island train, which arrived at the north end of the Milwaukee bridge at 8:20 Sunday night and from a Burlington train, which Chicago, which was due here today afternoon.

Among the stranded passengers was a number of prominent residents of Kansas City. One of them, Judge J. P. Hall said: "When we reached the Milwaukee bridge Sunday night, engineer and conductor feared to be in account of the reported dam to the piers, and held the train all night. Monday morning, we returned to St. Joseph, leaving out 27 of us at Randolph. We hoped across the river in boats. Sunday night we slept in the train, and Monday night at farm houses nearby. We did not eat and suffered nothing but inconvenience. We could see city in the distance, but could not a word of news about the flood."

FURTHER ANXIETY

about the Condition of Kansas City. Kas. People Is Removed.

Kansas City, Mo., June 3.—Flood conditions were materially bettered the night, and on all sides throughout the intense strain of the past days had for the first time been relieved. Communication by steamer with Kansas City, Kas., have been established permanently, and as the exact conditions there have become known further feeling of anxiety was felt by the sufferers in that locality. Now the lay of the land is known, and the local committees of both Kansas cities are able to work together, they have mapped out and put into effect elaborate plans for relieving all distress, restoring order, and return business to its normal channels. These plans are being carried out by an army of local men, reinforced by relief in the shape of food and supplies, sent in from St. Joseph and evenworth.

At 7 o'clock this morning, the Missouri river registered 24 feet, a fall of nearly 12 inches in as many hours. The weather bureau predicts that it will now, on the water at this point fall steadily. The Kansas river continues to fall at the rate of one inch an hour, and the tops of merged buildings are beginning to w above the water line. The sun is today, and this fact was a tremendous force for good.

St. Louis, Mo., June 3.—The Missouri continues to rise, a stage of 21.2 being shown at 7 a.m. This is a of 1.3 feet during the past 24 hours. It is expected that 22 feet will be reached some time today. In the meantime, people all along the river, both here and in east St. Louis, preparing for the big flood. River and government officials predict the water will be over the levees railroad tracks by noon today and all of the different roads affected, busy making arrangements to their rolling stock where it will safe.

Weather Observer Bowie says of the weather: "The river at Kansas City, is now ten miles wide. Whatever the result is not known.

City). The daily papers here are handling their own mails."

THREE DEATHS

From Drowning Reported Since Last Night. Commissioner Ware Safe.

Topeka, Kas., June 3.—Eugene F. Ware, commissioner of pensions, is here safe. He has been in no danger at any time. He will not try to return to Washington for several days because of the demoralized condition of the railroads. A dispatch last night from Washington indicated that an easiness was felt over Mr. Ware's condition. The family of T. J. Coughlin, president of the Coughlin Hardware Company reported from the east last night as being lost, are safe at Percy, 15 miles from here, where they went before the flood came up. Mr. Coughlin is at New Haven, Conn.

Three deaths from drowning are reported since last night.

There are still about one hundred persons in houses in the flooded district but all are safe. The river fell during the night at the rate of an inch an hour and today is still going down rapidly. The refugees are being taken care of in a systematic manner and there is no acute suffering. Today there is plenty of fresh water, much provision is being sent in and much more in the flooded district is becoming available.

Special River Bulletin.

Washington, June 3.—The Missouri river at Kansas City, has begun to fall. The gauge reading this morning was 344 feet, a fall of 6.6 feet since Tuesday morning. The rise continues to the eastward, and at St. Louis this morning, the stage was 312 feet, 1.2 feet above the danger line. From the water now in sight, not much more damage can be done in the vicinity of St. Louis, not over 35 feet of water being at present indicated. North of St. Louis, as far as Dubuque, the Mississippi continues to rise slowly. Some of the passengers continued on to Kansas City, by other means of transportation while most of them remained on one of the two sections of the train and either returned toward their starting point, or dropped off at different towns along the line east and north of Liberty making connections with other roads. While the exact location of the train is not known there is every reason to believe that all of the passengers are safe.

Sixty-seven passengers from a St. Joseph and Grand Island train which arrived at the Milwaukee bridge five miles east of Kansas City Sunday night, were rescued by a steamer from the Randolph end of the bridge last night. Some of these were at first believed to be passengers from the stalled Burlington but this proved not to be the case.

The report last night that the Missouri Pacific bridge had gone out, proved this morning to be incorrect. The bridge, which spans the Kaw, is weighted down by seventeen engines, and as well as can be judged, today by inspection made with the aid of a field glass from the bluff, half a mile away, the bridge is still safe. The water about the structure is lower and the current less strong than yesterday. The weather forecast this morning says both the Missouri and Kaw river will continue falling today and Thursday. The flood level will be from 1 to 2 feet lower by Thursday morning.

The water works plant will probably be reopened tonight.

POSTAL SERVICE

Badly Crippled—Kansas City Daily Papers Handling Their Own Mails.

Washington, June 3.—General Supt. White, of the Railway Mail Service today received a telegraphic report from Supt. Taft, who is in charge at Kansas City, Mo., regarding the flood situation. The report is dated last night and says that there are prospects of more rain. The water has fallen about twelve inches. "The Milwaukee bridge," it says, "is not available for further use." In consequence the Wabash and Burlington trains east bound are despatched over the Missouri Pacific tracks to Sedalia, thence north to Moberly via the "Katy" road. The Santa Fe (west) is getting trains in and out of here over the Missouri Pacific tracks via Ottawa, Kansas. Frisco trains are being operated on regular schedule during the night, near Pueblo, and that the result is not known.

MORE GOLD GOING OUT.

New York, June 3.—Heidelbach, Ickelheimer & Company have engaged \$750,000 gold, and Goldman, Sachs & Company \$1,000,000 gold for shipment to Europe tomorrow. It was said yesterday that this gold would probably be engaged.

New York, June 3.—The Von Hoffmann and company engaged \$250,000 and G. Ansink \$450,000 both for shipment to Germany. This makes the total to go out tomorrow \$2,470,000.

TROOPS HAD FIGHT.

Paris, June 3.—A dispatch from the Patrie, from Algeria, says a serious engagement between the French troops and the insurgents took place during the night, near Pugis, and that the result is not known.

STATE

Pawnshop at Naples Destroyed by Fire.

Strong Room Filled With Valuables Worth Over Two Millions Was Gutted.

Home, June 3.—The Mote De Plata (State Pawnbroking establishment) at Naples, was destroyed by fire during the night. The strong room, filled with valuables, was gutted. The damage, according to some reports, amounts to \$2,400,000.

MACHEN CASE

Was Not Considered by U. S. Grand Jury.

Washington, June 3.—It was expected that the case of August W. Machen, former superintendent of the free delivery system, postoffice department would be taken up by the United States grand jury today, but the jury convened and adjourned without considering the case.

PASSENGER TRAIN WRECKED.

Peoria, Ill., June 3.—The Rock Island and Peoria passenger train due here late last night, was wrecked at Alba, eight miles from here, by the breaking of an axle. The cars were ditched, and three passengers and two trainmen were injured. A relief train brought the injured to Peoria this morning. It is thought all will recover.

PREMATURE EXPLOSION

Of Iodine Caused Panic in Wholesale Drug House. Several Burned.

Pittsburgh, Pa., June 3.—A premature explosion of a large quantity of iodine in the laboratory of the wholesale drug house of W. J. Gilmore & Co., on Seventh avenue today caused much excitement and the burning of several persons. One young woman,

Minnie Prim, aged 20 years, was badly hurt by jumping from a third story window. G. Hutchins, the chemist, was dangerously burned and may die. The others will recover. The fire was quickly extinguished and the loss was small.

STEAMER AREQUIPA

Reported Lost Off Coast of Chile. Bodies of Crew Washed Ashore.

London, June 3.—A dispatch to Lloyds from Valparaiso, Chile, confirms the dispatch of the Associated Press last night from Santiago de Chile, referring to the fears expressed there for the safety of the Pacific Steam Navigation Company's steamer Arequipa, which, during a lull in yesterday's great storm at Valparaiso, left that port in an endeavor to ride out the gale at sea. The agent cables that the steamer, which had eighty passengers on board, was probably lost. The bodies of some of the Arequipa's crew, he adds, have been washed ashore.

Founded at Mooring.

London, June 3.—Later advices from Valparaiso say the Arequipa founded at her moorings and that the captain, his wife and the majority of the crew were lost.

Sixty-Three Lost.

Valparaiso, Chile, June 3.—Seventeen persons were saved out of the eighty on board the Pacific steam Navigation Co.'s steamer Arequipa, when she founded during the gale which swept over this coast yesterday.

CAPTAIN AND CREW DROWNED.

Santiago, De Chile, June 3.—According to advices received here from Valparaiso, Captain Todd, his wife, 50 of the crew, and many of the passengers of the Arequipa were drowned yesterday, when steamer founded.

TERRIFIC CLOUDBURST.

Brother and Sister Meet Death in the Flood. Crop Damage Heavy.

Nampa, Idaho, June 3.—A terrific cloudburst, accompanied by a heavy storm of wind and hail occurred at the town of Lawyer's Canyon, 21 miles southwest of here yesterday. Hail fell to the depth of twenty inches along the Canyon and destroyed

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Lima, Ohio

THE WEATHER.

Washington, June 3--For Ohio
Fair tonight warmer in extreme south
west portion; Thursday, fair.

Kansas can no longer be charged
with being a dry state.

It is a waste of time to size up the
situation in Columbus. It was sized,
lized and embossed several weeks ago.

There is no record of any public ac-
tance made by the president, while
crossing Utah, in which Smoot's name
was mentioned.

Mayo Dick is reported hard at work
writing the republican platform, on
which he will not have to stand, as a
subatorial candidate.

Reference to telegraphic columns
will show that Marcus is holding a
session of his convention in Colum-
bus.

The star route scandals pale into
such trifling insignificance when placed
alongside present developments in
postoffice business that they are real-
ly ashamed they ever happened.

If taxes were not to be so high the
coming year, under that republican
creation, the municipal code, the pe-
ople of this city would undoubtedly
attribute to the flood waters.

When the local boss barbers begin
charging an extra five cents for shav-
ing the back of a customer's neck,
that customer will, if married, have
a keener appreciation of his wife than
ever before, and the boss barber will
lose his trade.

With raw cotton at 2½ cents a
pound higher than it was this time
last year, and manufactured goods a
cent a yard lower, it is not surprising
that some of the mills which have
cotton on hand are selling it in pre-
ference to turning it into good

Canning of Hamilton county being
complete, it will be extended to the
state. To this end the municipal code
constituted the first act. The Cox-
Hanna canning, now in session, is
the second. In both acts, Foraker is
a strong backer.

FOOLING AWAY MONEY.

The lesson taught by Patrick Mul-
lough is that any person can buy his
freedom from the law, of necessity,
by refusing to fool away the money
he earns and set the money so saved
at work for him.

The lesson taught by James Smith-
son, is that the honor which gives en-
during fame, comes from what one
does, not from what others do for him.

The editor of the Chicago Tribune,
in writing of the "National Drink Bill,"
states the amount for 1902 for the

United Kingdom at \$873,459,085, and
for the United States at \$1,369,938,276.

While it may not be strictly correct to

say that all of this money has been

fool'd away, it is fair to assume that a

very large portion of it was.

The reformation of the human fami-
ly cannot be achieved, but it may be
greatly helped, by the action of the
state and of the numberless industrial
social and religious organizations in
to which the people are grouped. But
its foundation must rest upon loyalty
to the business unit or it cannot stand.

Loyalty to the business unit requires
that men shall not fool away their
money. Stop this, and they will be-
come sober, industrious and thrifty.

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Fine \$1.00 and 1.25 Shirts 89c
25c Suspenders 17c
10c Socks 6c
15c Fancy Socks 11c
Best Linen Collars 10c
10c Socks 2 pair for 8c
10c Handkerchiefs 2 for 8c
25c Ties 2 for 25c
20c Imported Sock 2 pair for 25c
35c Underwear 20c
Best 50c Balbriggan Underwear 39c
Men's \$2.00 and 3.00 Hats 98c
Men's White and Fancy Wash Vests 48c
Boys' 25c and 35c Caps 19c
\$1.00 Umbrellas 47c
\$1.50 Umbrellas 69c

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Linen Pants 75c
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Boys' Washable 25c and 50c Pants, 2 pairs for 35c
Men's \$1.00 Shirt Waists 50c
Men's \$1.50 Shirt Waists 75c
Boys' \$1.00 Shirt Waists 69c
Boys' 75c Shirt Waists 38c
10c and 15c Washable String ties 5c
Men's \$5.00 Porto Rican Panama Hats 2.50
Men's \$8.00 Split Straw Hats 1.50
Men's \$1.50 and 1.00 Straw Hats 75c
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Boys' Knee Pants, former value 75c, sale price 39c
Men's Work Pants, former value \$1.25, sale price 85c
Men's fine Dress Pants, former value \$2.00, sale price \$ 1.25
One lot Men's fine Dress Pants, former value \$2.50 and 3.00, sale price 1.95
Men's fine Worsted Pants, former value \$4.00 and 5.00, sale price 2.90

Shoe Values.

Men's Oil Grain Shoes, former value \$1.50, sale price 95c
Men's fine Dress Shoes, worth \$1.50 1.00
Men's Dress Shoes, former value \$2.00, sale price \$ 1.30
Men's fine Dress Shoes in Vici Kid, former value \$2.50, sale price 1.45
Men's fine Dress Shoes, former value \$3.00, sale price 1.95
Men's fine Dress Shoes, all leathers, worth \$4.00 \$3.15
Ladies' Shoes, former value, \$1.50 sale price 1.10
Ladies' Dougla Lace Shoes, former value \$1.75, sale price 98c
Ladies' fine Kid Shoes, former value \$2.00, sale price 1.35
Ladies' fine Shoes in light or heavy soles, former value \$2.50, sale price 1.45
Ladies' \$3.00 Dress Shoes 1.95
Ladies' finest French Kid \$3.00 and \$4.00 Shoes, hand turn and wait soles 2.95
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Large lot of ladies' small size button Shoes, former price \$3.00, 3.50 and 4.00, sale price 75c
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CHANGE

Venue Asked by Officials

Indicted For

Alleged Killing of Seven Children.

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at Engineer in U. S. Runs through Lima on Erie Fast Train—Seventy-two Years Have Passed Him.

ton, N. J., June 3.—In the suit the court application has been for a change of venue for the A. J. Cassatt and other officers and directors of the north Jersey railroad company who were in Essex county some months in charge of official responsibilities for the Clifton avenue, Newark, accident which resulted in the of several children. It was asked at the case be tried before the supreme court and that a jury be selected from some other than Essex. This is to be the first time such application has been made. The indicted is A. J. Cassatt, John A. Young, E. F. Young, David Young, M. Shipman, James Smith, E. E. Eick, Arthur W. Pratt, D. Goddard and John R. Shad.

Old Directors Re-elected.
Philadelphia, June 3.—At the meeting of the holding company board of directors the regular annual meeting was given six months notice to remove them. It denied that the Western Union had any rights in the matter beyond those conferred by the terms of the contracts and that when the limit of the contract expired they became only trustees on the property of the railroad company would be the board of the new company. The new president of the Baltimore

announced by the B. and O. and Penn Locomotive officials soon after it was given out that the Pennsylvania and Vanderbilt interests had acquired the Reading company, but this has evidently been changed.

Receiver Appointed.

Port Wayne Ind. June 3.—In the circuit court here a receiver was appointed for the Ft. Wayne and Southwestern railroad, an electric line operating forty miles of lines between this city and Wabash Indiana. Application for the receivership was made by J. Manchester Paynes, president of the Augusta, Maine, Trust Co., which concern holds \$200,500 of the Southwestern's bonds. S. L. Nelson, general manager of the road, was named as receiver.

Penna. Report.

Pittsburg, Pa., June 3.—The annual meeting of stockholders of the Pennsylvania company lines west of Pittsburgh was held yesterday.

The annual report was submitted covering mileage operated 4,945 miles. The reports of all lines directly operated for year ending December 31, 1902, were as follows:

Gross earnings \$3,025,648.39, expenses, \$23,308,429.14, net earnings from operation, \$5,717,219.25. Additional income received from investments \$5,413,983.32. Making gross income of \$15,131,022.57. The board of directors was re-elected composed of the following persons: A. J. Cassatt, Philadelphia; James McCrea, Joseph Wood, J. J. Turner, Edward B. Taylor, Pittsburg; John P. Green, W. H. Barnes, Charles F. Pugh, Samuel Rea, George Wood, C. Stuart Patterson, Philadelphia; L. F. Loring, Baltimore, Md., N. P. Shortridge, Wimberley, Pa., Penna. Filed Answer.

Baltimore, June 3.—The Pennsylvania railroad company has filed its answer, accompanied by the affidavit of President Alexander J. Cassatt, to suit of the Western Union Telegraph Co., asking for an injunction to restrain the railroad company from removing the Western Union poles and wires from the line of the Baltimore, Philadelphia and Washington Railroad company. The answer sets forth that the right of the Western Union to maintain its poles and wires on the property of the railroad company expired June 1, 1902, that the telegraph company was given six months notice to remove them. It denied that the Western Union had any rights in the matter beyond those conferred by the terms of the contracts and that when the limit of the contract expired they

became only trustees on the property of the railroad company would be the board of the new company. The new president of the Baltimore

congress voted upon by the Western Union President Cassatt states do not give the right to keep their poles and wires on the property of the railroad company without some agreement between it and the railroad, and it is also denied that the removal of the wires and poles will cause a non-interference to the business of the company as it is stated that the Western Union has for sometime been preparing for removing their business and is well able to conduct all of its business between Baltimore, Washington and Philadelphia over other wires than those on the property of the railroad.

By agreement of counsel the case will be heard by Judge Morrison, on June 11.

Oldest in the United States.

Many people of this city have no doubt noticed engine No. 502 a big double cab locomotive, now run on the Huntington & Galion division of the Erie at the head of trains three and four, and did not realize that on that machine, Eddie Kent, the oldest engineer in the United States, sits at the throttle. He is now past seventy-two years old, and is considered one of the calmest and most responsible engineers on the road. He and his machine have only recently been put on this division and the greater part of his life was spent on the Erie between New York and Port Jervis.—Huntington News.

Machinist Joe Davis, of the Lima Locomotive & Machine Company's works is off duty, suffering from a badly injured eye which was accidentally burned by alcohol.

RUNS AND SHIPMENTS.

Following are the oil runs for May 28 and 29 and the shipments for May 29 and 30:

Shipments 716,771
Shipments None

The Buckeye Pipe Line Co.—Lima Oil.

Runs 44,487.88
Runs 54,881.04
Shipments 39,798.10
Shipments 45,523.24

Indiana Pipe Line Co.—Local Division.

Runs 29,933.19
Runs 34,050.13
Shipments 13,418.67
Shipments 27,985.95

National Transit Company.

Shipments 3,981.11
Shipments 3,663.20

Southern Pipe Line Company.

Shipments 20,573.78
Shipments 24,627.28

The Crescent Pipe Line Company.

Shipments None
Shipments None

Cumberland Pipe Line Company.

Runs None
Runs 2,593.67
Shipments 858.05

Shipments None

Shipments 716,771

STOCKHOLDERS MEETING.

The Buckeye Pipe Line Co.—Lima Oil.

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May 28-4 weeks-e-o-d

WANTS, FOR RENT, LOST,
FOR SALE, ETC.

WANTED.

WANTED—Good woman for second cook, will pay satisfactory wages to right party. Apply at once, Hotel Cambridge. 9-3t

WANTED—Position by lady stenographer, who wishes employment very rapid, and can furnish best of references. Address X. Y. Z. Times Democrat. It

WANTED—Girl for general house work in family of two and no washing. Call at 125 north Pierce. 8-3t

WANTED—Good girl for general house work. No washing. \$3.00 a week. Inquire 522 west Market street. 98-3t

WANTED—Competent cook at 1028 west Market street. 97-1t

WANTED—Press feeder for platen presses. Apply at once at Times-Democrat.

WANTED—Cottage house of 4 or 5 rooms, within three blocks of post office. Address A. B. A., Times-Democrat office. 96-1t

WANTED—Plain writer to copy letters at home. \$15 paid weekly. Send stamped envelope for sample letter and particulars. Vertigan Co., 34 Park Row, New York. 99-3t

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Fresh cow; also six-room house for rent. Call at 657 north McDonel street. 7-3t

FOR SALE—An oak billiard table, with fittings. Price \$100. May be seen at 616 west Market street. J. C. Linneman. 98-3t

FOR SALE—Grocery store with A one fixtures, clean stock and good trade. To sell this place quick, a discount of 10 per cent will be given from invoice price. Wagons, barrels and boxes, if wanted. The only reason for selling is sickness. This is a fine opening for any one; be quick; terms one-half cash, balance to settle.

MILLINERY SPECIALS

THURSDAY, FRIDAY and
SATURDAY.



Here is the chance of the season. The price of every hat in this department has been marked down. All who want a fine hat will find that it pays to investigate our stock and prices.

We have purchased the entire show room stock from our wholesaler.

People's Outfitting Co.

54 Public Square.

Address M. E. care Times-Democrat office.

DUKE SELLS ISLAND.

London, June 3.—It is understood that the Duke of Argyll, has sold Iona Island, Hebrides, to the Carthusians, who were recently expelled from the Monastery of the Grande Chartreuse, in France. The terms of the sale provide for the preservation of the sacred and historical associations of the island.

DANCES.

To be continued during the summer season. Commencing tomorrow night dances will be given at Fludy's academy, each Monday, Thursday, and Saturday night's

A Good Beginning CONFESSED TO MURDER

If the blood is in good condition at the beginning of the warm season, you are prepared to resist disease and are not apt to be troubled with boils, pimples, blackheads and blotches, or the itching and burning skin eruptions that make one's life a veritable torment and misery.

Now is the time to begin the work of cleansing and building up the blood and strengthening the weak places in your constitution. During the cold winter months we are compelled to live indoors and breathe the impure air of badly ventilated rooms and offices. We over-work and over-eat, and get too little out-door exercise, and our systems become clogged with impurities and the blood is hotbed of germs and humors of every kind, and warm weather is sure to bring a reaction, and the pustulous matter in the blood and vessels will break out in boils and pustules or sealy eruptions and red, inflamed blisters and pimples. Make a good beginning this season by taking a cool bath, S. S. in time, it will not only purify your blood and destroy the germs it carries, but promote healthy action of the Liver and Kidneys and give you a good appetite at a time when you need it most.

S. S. improves the digestion and tones up the stomach, and you are not so readily fatigued by the fact of indigestion every time you eat, or troubled with dizziness, nervousness, fatigue, etc. There is no reason to be afraid of the coming of warm weather if you have your system well fortified and in a normal, healthy condition. It is the polluted, sluggish blood that makes disease germs, microbes and poisons of every kind and brings on a host of spring and summer ailments, break down the constitution, and produce such diseases as, lassitude, and other debilitating disorders.

Remember, those Nettles, sun, Poison Oak and Ivy, and other irritating skin troubles are sure to make their appearance unless the humors and poisons are antidoted and the thin, acid blood made rich and strong before the coming of warm weather.

A course of S. S. now would be a safe precaution and a good beginning and enable you to pass in comfort through the hot, sultry months and escape the diseases common to spring and summer. S. S. is guaranteed pure, vegetable and is recognized as the best blood purifier and the most invigorating and pleasant of all tonics. Write for our book on "The Blood and Its Diseases."

HORRIBLY AFFLICTED WITH BOILS.
I had a horrible attack of boils that broke out all over my body and from which I could get no possible relief until I began taking your medicine, and from my experience I can safely say S. S. is the best blood purifier in the world.
Mrs. M. P. SMYTHERS,
Wytheville, Va.

THE BEST TONIC AND APPETIZER.
While living in Atlanta, Ga., I became victim of impure, watery blood. I ran down in appetite and energy; was scarcely able to get about and had to stop off and rest continually. I took S. S. and I began to improve at once, and after a thorough course became strong and well.

I think S. S. is the best medicine I ever used as an appetizer and general tonic.

J. G. SCOTT,
611 Railroad street,
Knox, Ga.

Of His Father Many Years Ago...Im-
plicates a Brother in the Deed.

Frederick, Md., June 3—Samuel Betts is dead from a pistol shot inflicted by himself, and just before dying he confessed that he had participated in the murder of Walter Long and secretly buried the body of their father, Samuel Betts, seventeen years ago, presumably to inherit \$6,000 which he had accumulated. The father was found dead, and it has al-

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WORK OF AN INCENDIARY.

Three Attempts Made to Burn the Lima Locomotive & Machine Co. Shops Last Night.

Three attempts were made last night, by some unknown fire fiend, to destroy the magnificent shops of the Lima Locomotive and Machine Co. The property was fired in three different places within a half hour's time, and the fire department was called upon to assist the night watchman and other employees in saving the works from destruction.

The first fire was discovered in the pattern room, about 1:45 o'clock this morning, and after hard work, the employes who were on night duty, succeeded in extinguishing the flames. They had no sooner extinguished this fire, however, than another was discovered in the foundry. An alarm was sent in from box 112 and the south

side fire department responded, but the workmen had the flames extinguished before the firemen arrived on the scene.

The third fire was discovered while the fire department was at the shops, and this one had been started in one of the lumber sheds near Third street. In neither instance did the flames gain much headway, and no serious damage was done to the property.

There is no clue whatever to the identity of the incendiary, or to the motive, but the night watchman will be on the lookout for the fire fiend, and in the event that another attempt is made to burn the shops, the coroner may have a case to hold an inquest over.

and Mrs. J. L. Andrews, of west Market street.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Collins, are home from a visit with Bellefontaine relatives.

Mrs. C. F. McHenry, returned to her home in Toledo, yesterday after a short visit with her sister, Mrs. Charles Mann.

Miss Baker of Marysville, O., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. A. D. Hildreth, of south Collett street.

Mrs. Thomas Morrison, of west Spring street, is home from a visit at Springfield.

Thos. J. Curtin, bookkeeper for the Pullman Co., Chicago, is the guest of his aunt, Mrs. M. O'Connell, of north Jackson street. Mr. Curtin was a former resident of Lima, and his many friends here are glad to have the opportunity of greeting him again.

Mrs. Sol. Wiesenthal, is the guest of relatives and friends in Cleveland.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Pumroy and Miss Nellie Flannery, of Schenectady, N. Y., are the guests of the latter's grand mother, Mrs. M. Guinty, of north Main street.

A 15 cent embossed gilt wall paper at 5 cents per roll, at C. Brookins, corner Vine and St. Johns avenue, 98-24.

Can't be perfect without pure blood. Burdock Blood Bitters makes pure blood. Tones and invigorates the whole system.

CLOSING OUT

William H. Boop, a veteran of the Civil war and a life long resident of Allen county, died at his home, 166 east High street, at 3:40 o'clock this morning, death resulting from dropsy, after a long illness. The deceased was 68 years of age. He was born on what is still known as the Boop farm, situated near the county infirmary property. He is survived by his wife, one daughter and four sons. Two sisters—Mrs. John Bates, of this county, and Mrs. Clay Rice—also survive him.

Arrangements for the funeral have not yet been completed.

BASE BALL.

Reds Now Lead the Second Division.

Long Bob Ewing Good in a Pitchers' Battle.

St. Louis Defeats the Phillies in a "One to Nothing" Game—Pirates Shut Out New York—Chicago Wins.

Long Bob Ewing, won in one of the greatest pitchers' battles of the season in the Cincinnati-Boston contest, on the Queen City grounds, yesterday, and as a result, the Reds have passed Boston in the pennant race and now stand at the head of the second division.

Yesterday's Results.
Cincinnati 4, Boston 1.
Pittsburg 7, New York 0.
St. Louis 1, Philadelphia 0.
Chicago 4, Brooklyn 3.

How They Stand.

Clubs.	Won	Lost	P. C.
Chicago	29	11	.725
New York	26	12	.684
Pittsburg	26	17	.605
Brooklyn	20	19	.513
Cincinnati	18	21	.462
Boston	16	20	.444
Philadelphia	11	27	.289
St. Louis	11	30	.268

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OVER THE SEA.

Queenstown, June 3.—Arrived-Ma-jestic, from New York.

NEW

Official in the L. E. & W. Family.

Bulletin Issued

Announcing Retirement of "H. K. F."

A Lake Shore Man Has Been Appointed to Succeed Mr. Fredricks.

The Latter Is Requested to Remain With the Company for a Short Time—Will Take Long Needed Rest.

FINE TRIP

Enjoyed by John McVey in the West.

John McVey, returned home yesterday from the Master Plumbers' Convention, which was held at San Francisco, May 19, 20 and 21. The affair was one which 470 delegates from all over the United States thoroughly enjoyed, and the plumbers again pinned their faith to former President Hombrook, who had proved an efficient head of the organization. Mr. McVey spent some time in visiting the places of interest throughout the Pacific coast state, and expressed himself as greatly pleased with his trip.

Mother's lose their dread for "that terrible second summer," when they have Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry in the house. Nature's specific for bowel complaints of every sort.

THREE

Allen County Jurors Excused From Duty.

Allen county seemed to have been an objective point in the selection of a U. S. district grand jury, but only one of the four drawn will serve as a member of that body. Deputy Probate Judge Moses Hoagland, engineer James Pillars and John Amstutz, were excused, all furnishing valid excuses, but D. C. Richmond will remain in Toledo, until the work of the jury has been completed.

ALL

Present Except the Judge.

Another Day

Will Have to Be Set for Decisions

In the Ohio Southern Cases Held Up By Judge Hubbard.

Jury in the Railroad Damage Case Found a Verdict for Plaintiff After a Hot Debate of Five Hours.

A number of attorneys, several of whom are interested in the old Ohio Southern cases, and representatives of the press sat through the late hours of yesterday afternoon, at the court house, awaiting the arrival of Judge Hubbard, of Defiance. Earlier in the day, deputy clerk Charlie Graham, received a message from Judge Hubbard, stating that he had been retained in an important case at Paulding, but would arrive in Lima at 4:17. That hour passed and another followed, but the judge failed to appear, or send a correction of his former message.

No word was received from him last night or today, and Judge Harman and other visiting attorneys took their departure to await the fixing of another day, the third within the last month.

VERDICT FOR PLAINTIFF.

Followed Court's Interpretation of Technical Points.

The petit jury succeeded in coming to an agreement yesterday evening, in the case of Daniel L. Herbert vs the L. E. & W., and after being closed for about five hours, a verdict was returned, awarding the plaintiff damages in the sum of \$1200. Exceptions were noted by the attorneys for the defendant company, and if the motion which will be filed asking for a new trial, is overruled, the circuit court judges will be given the case for a decision.

In an effort to make plain some of the points brought up in the case, Judge Cunningham cautioned the jury, that the engineer and fireman on the engine which backed down to the car where the plaintiff, as a brakeman, was waiting to make a coupling, were not his superior officers, but his fellow servants, and the company could not be held to blame for the alleged carelessness on their part. It was for the jury to determine, however, whether carelessness on the part of the conductor contributed to the accident to Herbert, because of his alleged failure to repeat the brake.

Carroll & Cooney.

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Thursday's Sale

.....OF.....

SUMMER SKIRTS

To Be a Remarkable One.

Silk Lined } Skirts
Silk Batiste }

AT

\$7.50.

There are rare bargains and skirts that can not be made at home less than \$18.00 to \$20.00.

Parasol Bargains.

The prettiest assortment ever shown and at prices just one-half the same as asked at other stores.

\$1.29, \$1.98, \$3.98

Brillantine Street Skirts.

A complete stock of Brillantine Skirts in black and navy.

\$5.00 and \$7.50

20 to 38 bands, 36 to 46 long.

CARROLL AND COONEY.

B. & O. FREIGHT

Collides With Empty Box Cars—Passenger Killed.

Cleveland, O., June 3.—A Baltimore and Ohio, fast freight collided with some empty cars standing on the main track at Brooklyn station, early today, while running at a high rate of speed.

Marriage Licenses. C. F. Reed, 32, carpenter, and May Snyder, 26, both of Lima.

MARKET HOUSE

To be Dedicated Next Saturday Afternoon—Public Invited.

MARKET HOUSE LEASES.

Another auction of leases of the remaining curb spaces at the market house will occur June 4th, beginning at 1:30 p. m. Leases for butcher stalls and inside vegetable stands can be secured at any time by calling at the market house.

L. G. MILLER, Superintendent.

Only one remedy in the world that will at once stop itchiness of the skin in any part of the body; Does's Ointment. At any drug store, 50 cents.

You feel mean, cross, ugly, down in the mouth, nothing goes right. Bad liver. Better take Rocky Mountain Tea. Drives away the blues, etc. For sale by H. F. Vorhees, corner North and Main street.



DRAPERY REDUCED.

(Second Floor.)

In the Drapery Department we've made several reductions that ought to be especially acceptable just now.

Winsome Wash Fabrics.

Attractively Priced.

(First Floor.)

10c per yard for Emerald Dimity, linen finish, in neat figures and stripes. They are the regular 12 1-2c and 15c quality.

Arabian Lace Curtains.

A choice selection of Arabian Lace Curtains which are specially good for the money we are asking for them; \$5, \$6, \$8, \$10, \$12 and \$14 per pair.

Commencement Gifts.

Handkerchiefs, Fans, Kid Gloves, Silk Gloves, Lace Collars, etc.; all special values at popular prices.



Summer Draperies.

The new arrivals sell at \$1.00 and \$1.50 per pair. See them. Second floor.

Women's Petticoats.

A special lot of ladies' black sateen Petticoats; 79c for a \$1 value.

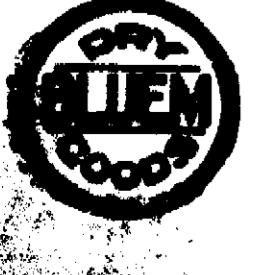
Embroideries

At a bargain price. See table in side room. 8c per yard, instead of 12 1-2c and 15c.

Bobbinet Bed Sets.

Bobbinet Bed Sets with full ruffles and bolster piece to match, at \$3.50, \$4.50 and \$6.50 per set.

Also Bobbinet Curtains to match.



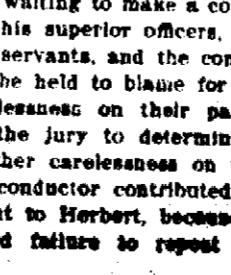
Dress Goods.

55-57 Public Square.



Suit House.

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